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PART I.

IMPORTANT GOVERNMENT ORDERS.

CHIEF SECRETARIAT.

Economic Journal in Kannada.

READ AGAIN.—

Government Order No. 1444-90—A. I. 86-14-1, dated the 24th November 1914, sanctioning a scheme for the monthly publication of a journal of the Economic Conference both in English and Kannada.

2. Government Order No. 4300-49—E. C. 10-16-8, dated the 8th December 1916, sanctioning the conversion of the Kannada Journal "Arthasadhaka Patrike" into a weekly.

3. Government Order No. 1671-755—E. C. 37-20-1, dated the 14th August 1920, directing the transfer of the "Arthasadhaka Patrike" to Mr. M. Gopaliengar for a period of two years.

4. Government Order No. I. C. 2210-69—E. C. 5-22-12, dated the 12th October 1922, transferring the said journal to Mr. D. V. Gundappa for a period of three years.

5. Government Order No. G. 1683-736—G. M. 31-24-4, dated the 1st September 1924, terminating the contract with Mr. Gundappa regarding the "Arthasadhaka Patrike" with effect from March 1924.

ORDER No. G. 3156—G. M. 31-24-6, DATED 1ST NOVEMBER 1924.

The "Arthasadhaka Patrike" was started in the year 1915, as a Vernacular companion to the English monthly, the Mysore Economic Journal, mainly with the object of bringing sound ideas on economic subjects within the reach of the masses and stimulating and developing economic activities in the State. It was at first issued monthly, but was converted into a weekly from the 1st January 1917. It was conducted under Government management for over three years and then transferred to Mr. M. Gopaliengar, a journalist of considerable experience. Mr. Gopaliengar having resigned his connection with the journal after conducting it for two years from September 1920, it was handed over on certain conditions to Mr. D. V. Gundappa, the editor of "Karnataka" and the "Indian Review of Reviews" for a period of three years with permission to convert it to a monthly and to include in it sections devoted to civics sociology, literature, etc., so as to extend its scope and usefulness. This agreement with Mr. Gundappa has however been terminated with effect from March 1924, at his request.

2. In view of the great need for an Economic Journal in Kannada for spreading information and knowledge on economic matters among the people and of the fact that journals of this class are not sure of and cannot entirely depend upon popular support, Government consider that it is necessary that suitable encouragement should be offered by Government to induce private enterprise to take up the publication of such a journal. The English edition of the Economic Journal has been made over to Mr. C. Hayavadana Rao on the understanding that Government should subscribe for a certain number of copies of the journal. Government are of opinion that a similar concession may be shown to any one who might be willing to venture forward to conduct an Economic Journal in Kannada. Government will accordingly be glad to consider applications from persons competent and willing to undertake the publication of the journal on the above mentioned terms. Communications in this behalf may be addressed to the Chief Secretary to Government so as to reach him before the 30th November 1924.

K. MATTHAN,

Chief Secretary to Government.

Press Room being kept open on Sundays instead of on Mondays.

READ—

Government Order No. G. 5323-39—G. M. 12-23-5, dated 26th September 1923 providing a Press Room at Mysore from 1st October 1923.

2. Letter dated 29th September 1924 from Mr. M. Venkatakrishnayya, Proprietor of the "Sadhvi" and "Sampadabhyudaya", Mysore, suggesting that the Press Room may be kept open on Sundays instead of on Mondays as no official papers are received on Mondays.

3. Correspondence ending with letter No. 71, dated 30th October 1924, from the Chief Officer, City Municipality, Mysore, stating that there is no objection to the Press Room being kept open on Sundays instead of on Mondays.

ORDER NO. G. 3552-60—G. M. 43-24-9, DATED THE 18TH NOVEMBER 1924.

The suggestion is approved.

K. MATTHAN,

Chief Secretary to Government.